Mar. 20. 2007 6:22PM peppe

Attorney Docket No.: 133001.00101

No. 5303 P.

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Confirmation No. 3883

In re Application of:

Diamond

Application No.: 10/036,066 : Group Art Unit: 1641

Filing Date: November 7, 2001 : Examiner: Lam, Amy Y.

For: PEPTIDE OR PROTEIN MICROASSAY METHOD AND APPARATUS

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop AFTER FINAL Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Madam:

This is an Amendment and Response to the Final Office Action dated November 20, 2006 in the above identified application. The Examiner set forth a three-month shortened statutory period for reply. By virtue of the enclosed Petition for One-Month Extension of Time, Applicant's response is timely filed and is fully responsive to the Office Action.

Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks being on page 7.